MONUMENT TO GENERAL HERKIMER.

RESOLUTIONS

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF NEW YORK,

RELATIVE TO

The erection of a monument to the memory of General Nicholas Herkimer.

FEBRUARY 21, 1849.
Laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed.

STATE OF NEW YORK!

IN ASSEMBLY, February 8, 1849.

Whereas, the Congress of the United States did, in one thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven, pass a resolution requesting the governor and council of the State of New York to erect a monument to the value of five hundred dollars, at the expense of the United States, to the memory of General Nicholas Herkimer, a native of this State, who died of wounds received in vindicating the rights and securing to us the inestimable privileges we now enjoy, and this legislature cordially responding to the patriotic sentiments contained in the letter conveying to Governor Clinton the resolution of Congress on that subject: Therefore,

Resolved, (if the Senate concur,) That every mark of distinction shown to the memory of such illustrious men, as offer up their lives for the liberty and happiness of their country, reflects real honor on those who pay the tribute, and by holding up to others the prospect of fame

and immortality will animate them to tread the same path.

Resolved, (if the Senate concur,) That our senators and representatives in Congress be requested to adopt such measures as they may deem most expedient for the accomplishment of the patriotic purposes for which this appropriation was made.

By order:

P. B. PRINDLE, Clerk.

In Senate, February 12, 1849.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the foregoing resolution.

By order:

A. H. CALHOUN, Clerk.

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